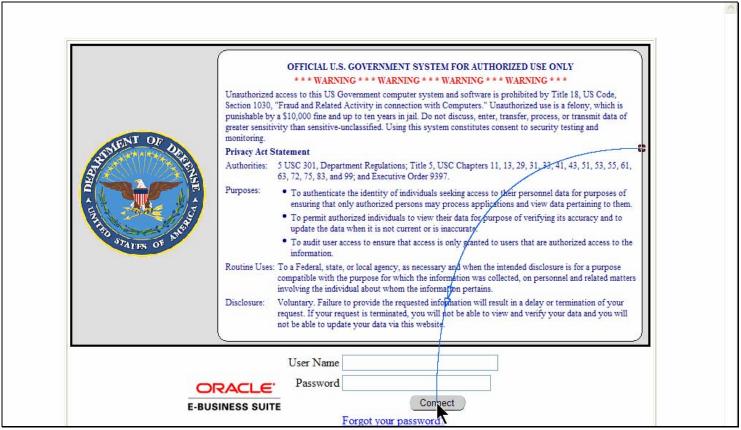


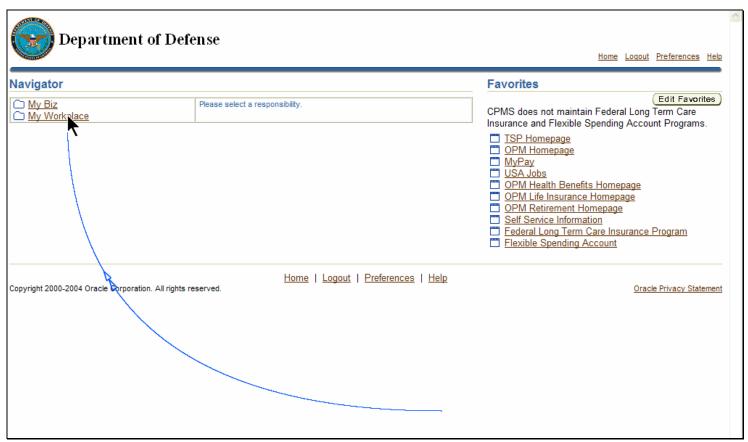
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Logging on as a rating official and finalizing a performance plan.



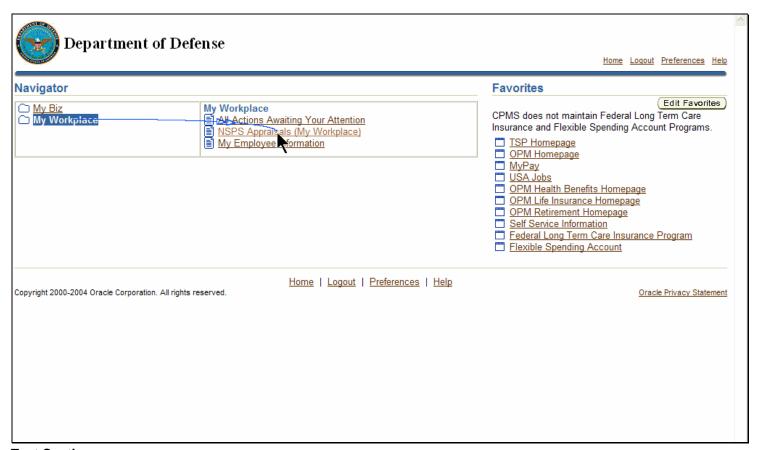
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Luke logs on to the Performance Appraisal Application through **My Workplace**.

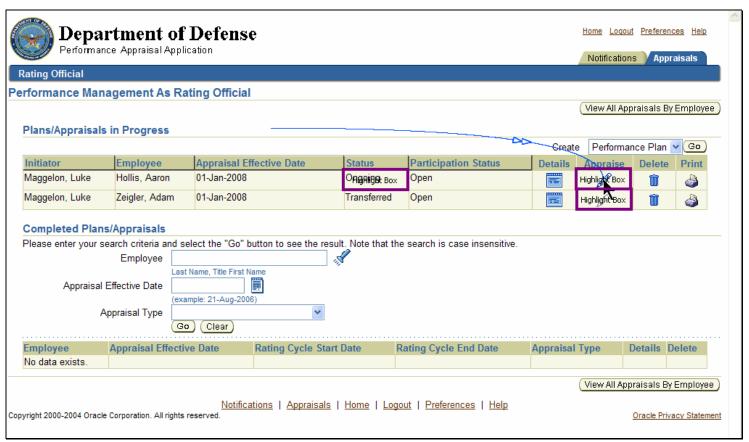


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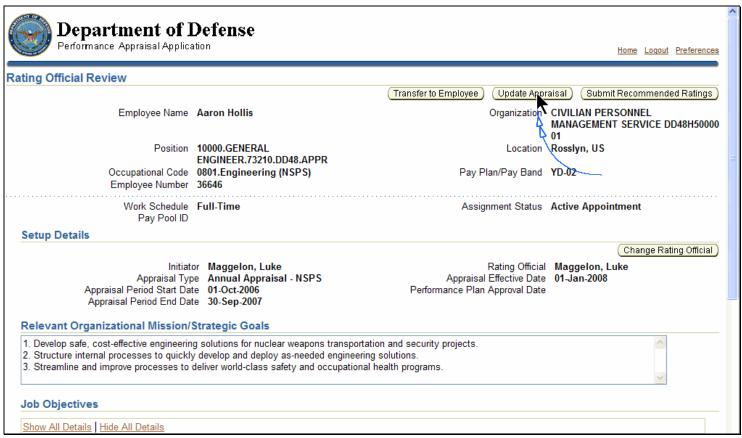


When logged on, the Rating Official - Performance Management As Rating Official page is displayed. On this page, Luke can view the status of his employees' performance plans.

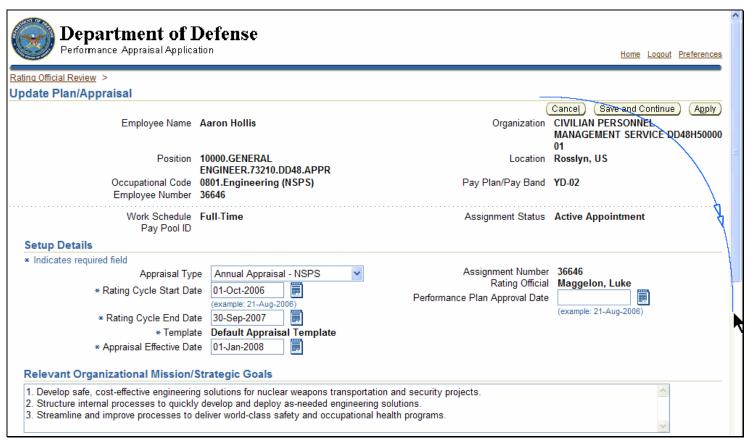
Take a look at the two employees listed. Notice that Aaron's status is "Ongoing" and that the pencil under the Appraise column is highlighted. This indicates that Luke has ownership of Aaron's plan.

Notice that the pencil for the other plan is not highlighted. This indicates that this employee currently has ownership of his plan.

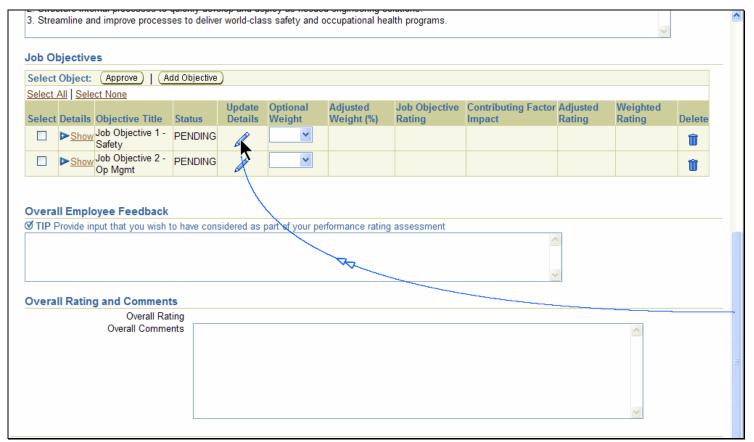
Luke selects **Appraise** to continue.



He selects **Update Appraisal** to review job objectives and associated contributing factors, and finalize them.

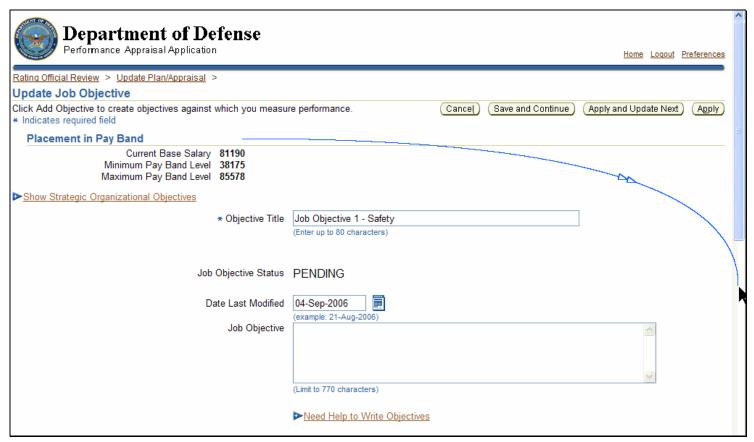


Remember that the draft job objectives are in the Working Version Job Objective text box, so Luke must cut and paste each objective into the Job Objective text box. He scrolls to the Job Objectives area.

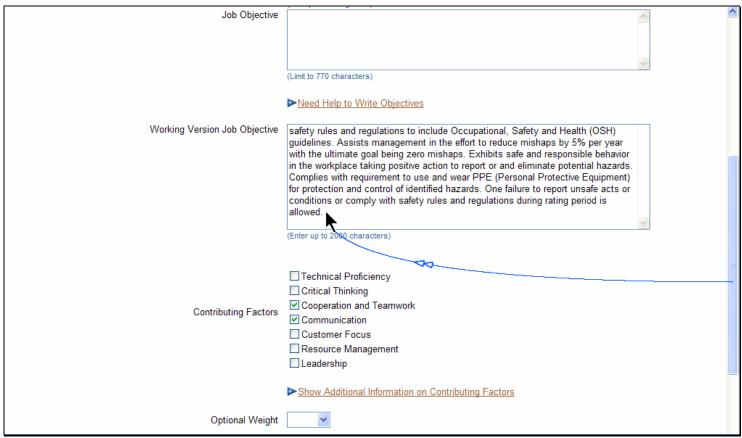


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He selects **Update Details** to update the first job objective.

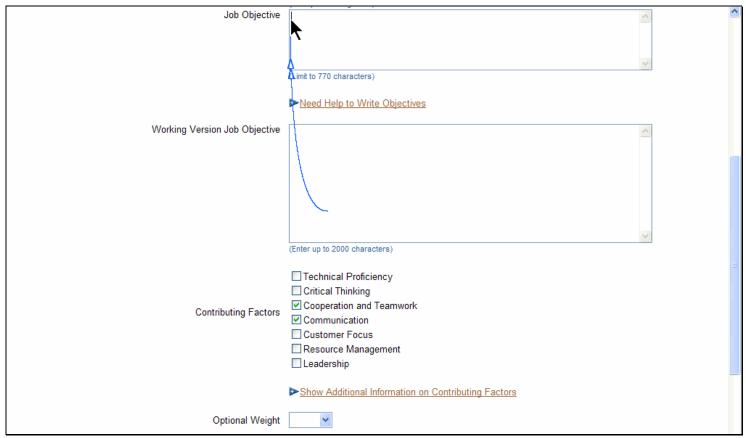


Luke scrolls to the text in the **Working Version Job Objective** field.



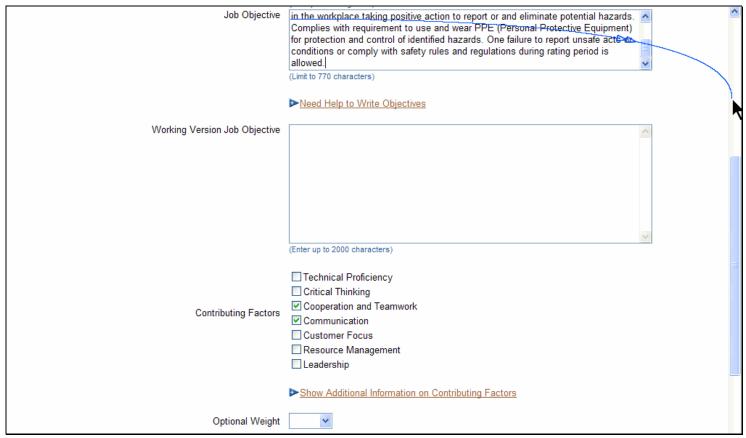
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He copies and pastes the text from the **Working Version Job Objective** field to the **Job Objective** field.

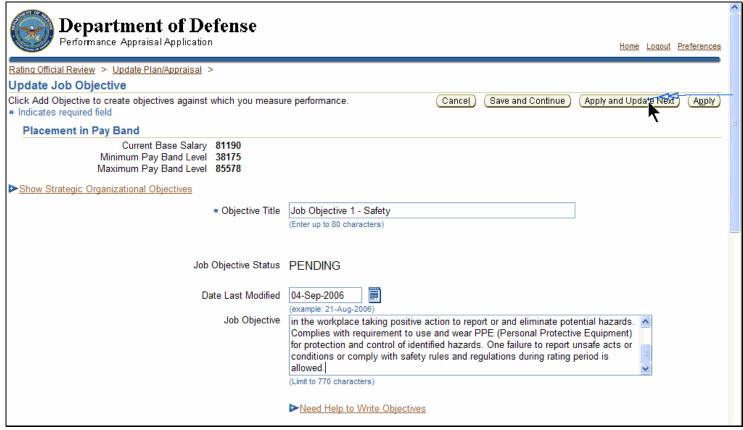


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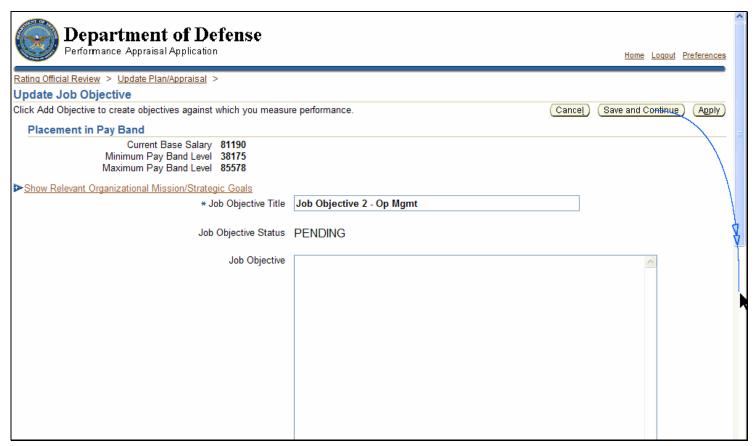
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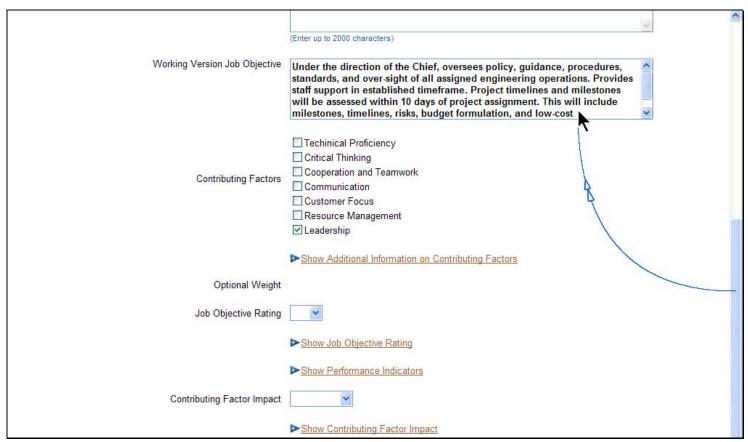
He scrolls to the buttons at the top of the page.



He selects Apply and Update Next.

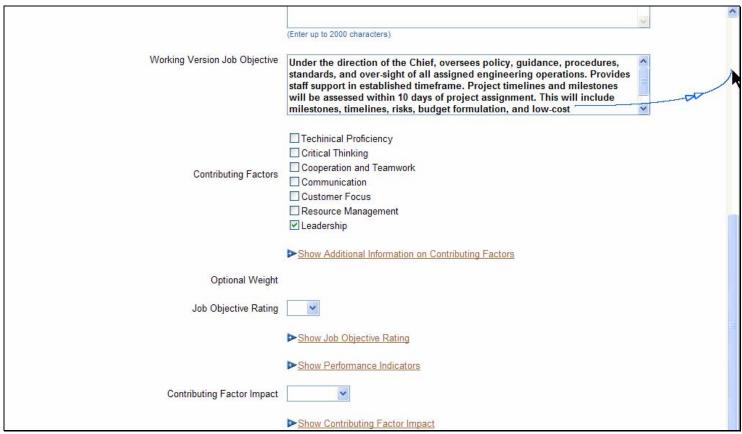


Luke scrolls to the **Working Version Job Objective** field for the second objective.



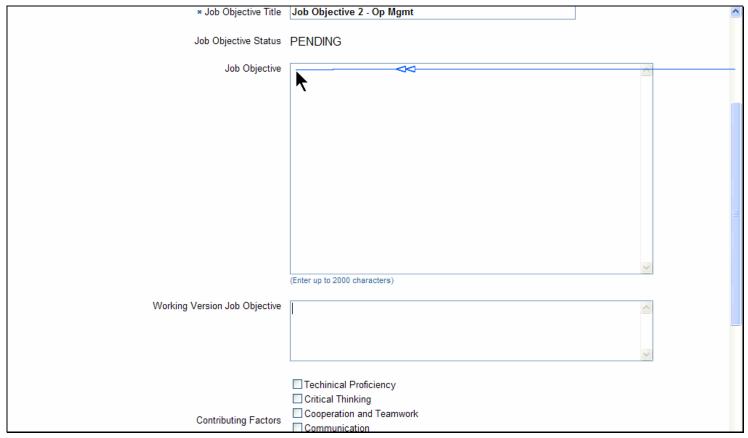
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And he copies and pastes the text for this objective like he did for the first one.



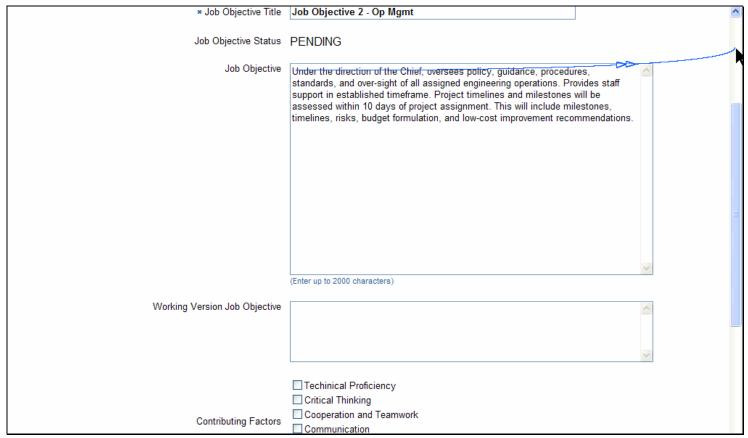
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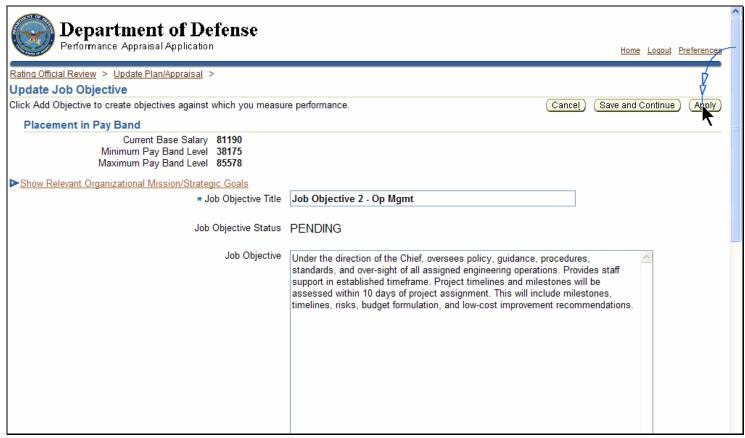


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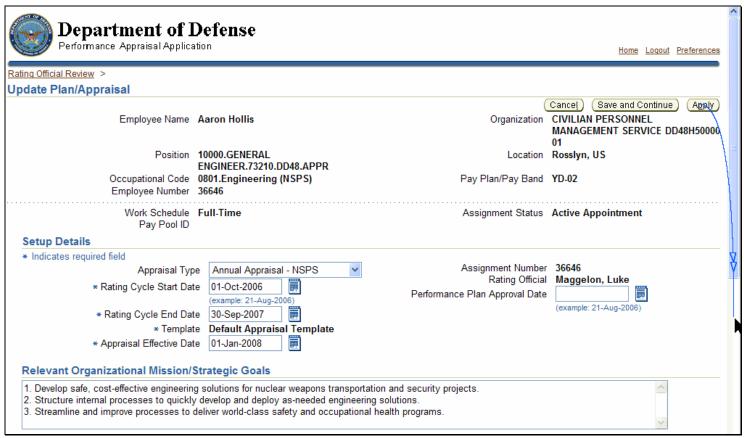
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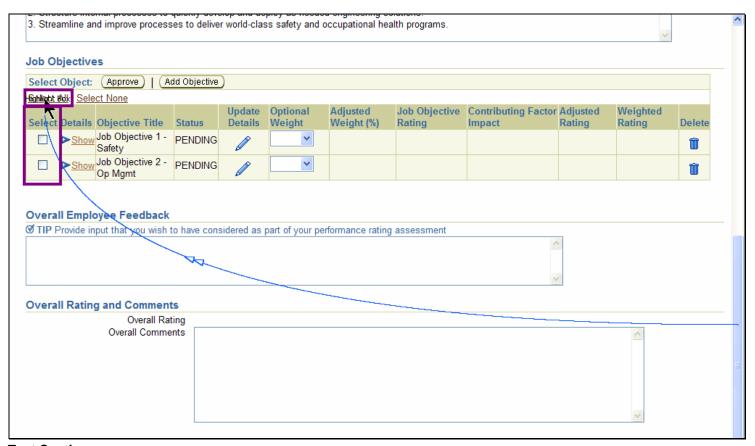
He scrolls to the top of the page.



Then he selects **Apply**.

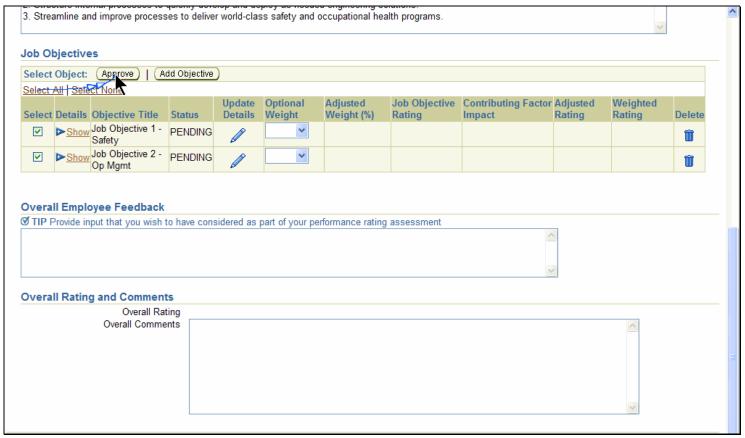


Luke is transferred to the Update Plan/Appraisal page. He scrolls to the Job Objective section and notices that the job objectives are pending. As a rating official, Luke has two options to approve job objectives:

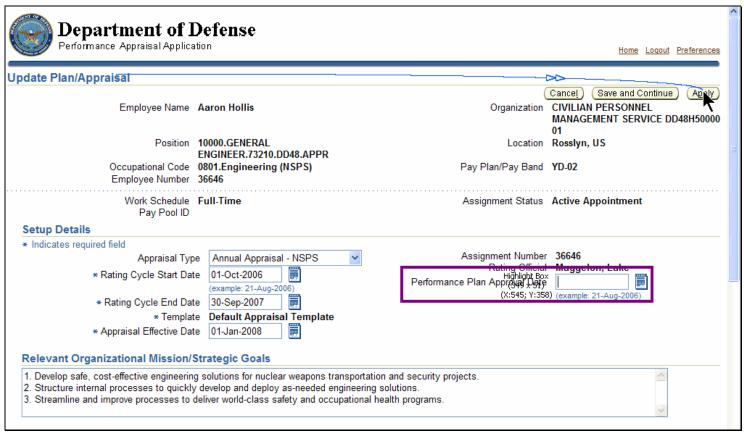


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He can individually approve each objective by selecting **Select** for each objective; or he can select **Select All** to approve all the job objectives at one time.



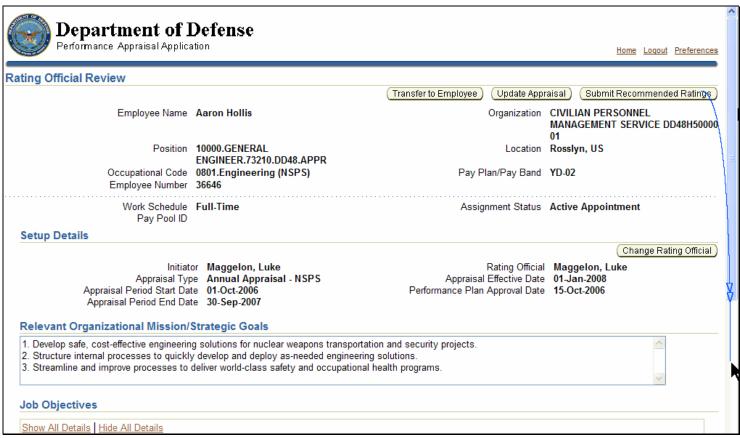
Then he selects the **Approve** button. When the selection is made, the job objective status switches from "Pending" to "Approved."



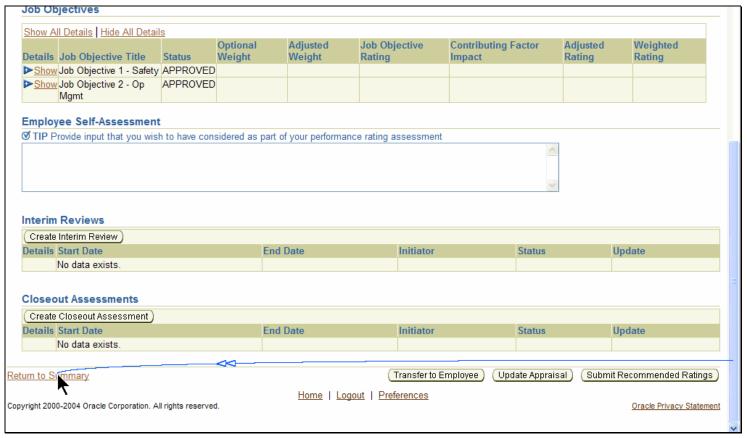
There are two more steps as a rating official Luke needs to complete.

First, he goes to the Setup Details section and enters the performance plan approval date.

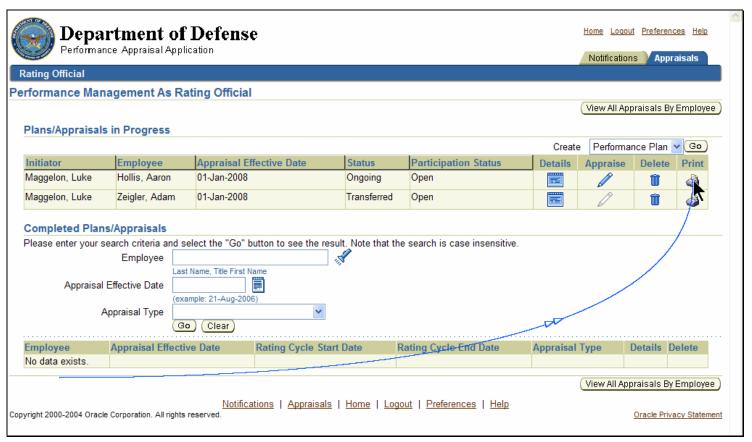
Finally, he selects **Apply**.



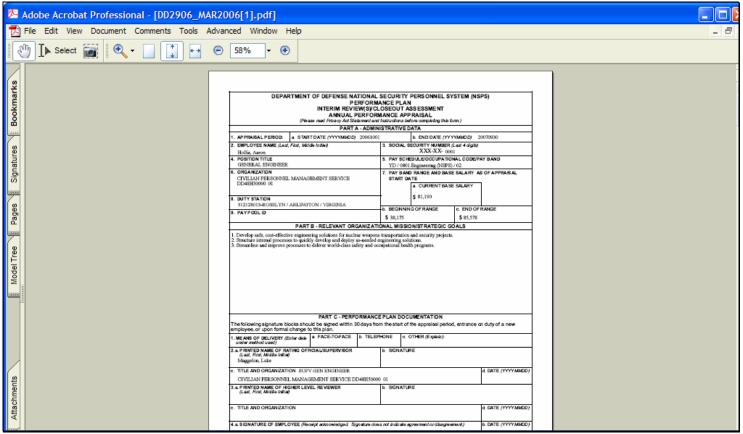
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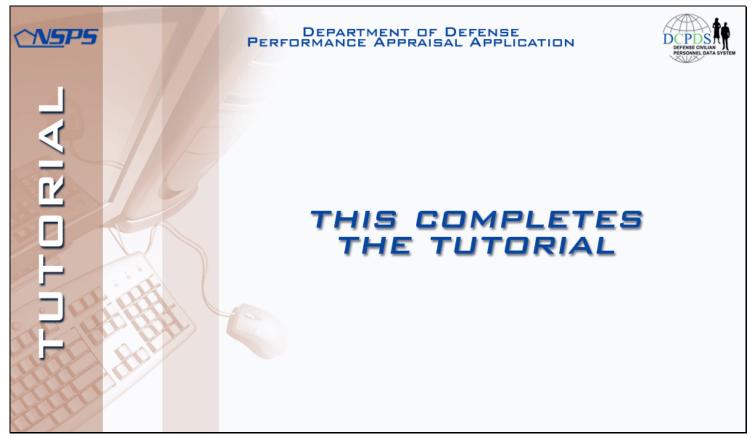


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Congratulations! This completes the demonstration of how to use the Performance Appraisal Application to establish a performance plan.

As you can see, the online tool supports and facilitates ongoing communication throughout the planning process and is a quick and easy tool to learn and use.

To support you as you spiral into NSPS, DoD is developing a series of user guides, online tutorials, and Web-based training to support use of the online tool suite.

For additional information on NSPS or the suite of online tools, visit the following Web sites:

Your Component web site

http://www.cpms.osd.mil/nsps/performance_management.html

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We wish you well as you embark on completing your first NSPS performance plan.